

Readopt with amendment Env-Wq 1306.01, eff. 9-5-06 (doc. #8703-A), to read as follows:

Env-Wq 1306.01 Eligibility for Maintenance Project Grant. The following criteria shall be met in order to be eligible for a grant under RSA 487:21, III for a maintenance project:

- (a) The subject water body shall:
 - (1) Be a surface water of the state; and
 - (2) Be infested with an exotic aquatic weed listed in Env-Wq 1303.02; and
- (b) The proposed maintenance project shall incorporate integrated pest management (IPM) strategies.

Amend Env-Wq 1306.04(a), eff. 9-5-06 (doc. #8703-A), to read as follows:

- (a) Based on the type of infestation in the surface water, points shall be assigned as follows:
 - (1) A surface water having one or more widespread and well-established infestations shall receive one point;
 - (2) A surface water having one or more established infestations that are showing signs of spreading to uninfested portions of the waterbody shall receive 2 points;
 - (3) A surface water having one or more infestations that have remained small or localized shall receive 3 points; and
 - (4) The score for this category shall be multiplied by a weighting factor of 4;

Readopt with amendment Env-Wq 1307.01, eff. 9-5-06 (doc. #8703-A), to read as follows:

Env-Wq 1307.01 Eligibility for Diagnostic and Feasibility Studies. To be eligible for participation in the diagnostic and feasibility study program established under RSA 487:21, I, the subject water body shall be a surface water of the state and be:

- (a) Listed as impaired on the current or draft list prepared pursuant to §303(d) of the federal Clean Water Act as specified in 40 CFR 130.7;
- (b) Identified as being at risk of being impaired in documented Volunteer Lake Assessment Program (VLAP) data demonstrating a statistically-significant decline in water quality; or
- (c) Experiencing change(s) within its boundaries or within its watershed that are deemed a significant risk to the water quality and designated water uses by the department pursuant to section 305(b) of the federal Clean Water Act as specified in 40 CFR 130.8;

Appendix

Rule	State Statute(s) Implemented
Env-Wq 1306.01	RSA 487:17, I(c), II, & III; RSA 487:18, :20, :21
Env-Wq 1306.04(a)	RSA 487:17, :18
Env-Wq 1307.01	RSA 487:17, I(c), II, & III; RSA 487:18, :20, :21